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TAGS: CASC(SANDERS, WALTER)

SUBJECT: W/W WALTER SANDERS, APRIL 22, 1946, WASHINGTON,
D.C.

REF: 74 STATE 212314 (TO DELHI) AND PREVIOUS

1. SINCE FEBRUARY, 1977 DEPARTMENT AND AMEMBASSY
PARIS HAVE BEEN ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE WALTER SANDERS. LAST
COMMUNICATION FROM WALTER WAS POSTCARD FROM NORMANDY IN
SEPTEMBER 1976. HOWEVER, A FRIEND REPORTED TO THE EMBASSY,
PARIS, THAT HE SAW WALTER AND SPOKE WITH HIM IN APRIL 1977
IN PARIS. HIS FAMILY HAVE FILED A MISSING PERSONS REPORT
WITH THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT AND THE FRENCH POLICE ARE
ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE WALTER. HIS LAST PASSPORT, Z1461256,
WAS ISSUED IN PARIS ON MARCH 20, 1972. THERE IS NO RPT NO
RECORD OF ANY MORE CURRENT U.S. PASSPORT.

2. DURING RECENT CONVERSATION WITH MRS. SANDERS SHE
MENTIONED THAT HER SON HAD TRAVELED TO INDIA SEVERAL
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YEARS AGO AND THAT WHILE THERE HE HAD BEEN ILL AND RECEIVED
ASSISTANCE FROM THE EMBASSY AT NEW DELHI. SHE WONDERED IF
HE COULD HAVE RETURNED TO INDIA. DEPOFF POINTED OUT
IMPROBABILITY OF HIS TRAVEL TO INDIA WITH AN EXPIRED
PASSPORT. HOWEVER, POST REQUESTED ATTEMPT DETERMINE IF
WALTER SANDERS HAS RETURNED TO INDIA SINCE SEPTEMBER 1976.
DURING HIS PREVIOUS STAY IN INDIA HE WAS REACHED THROUGH

FATHER JONES OF BURNHALL HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, SRINAGAR, TELEPHONE 3440. FAMILY ALSO BELIEVED AT THAT TIME THAT WALTER WAS KNOWN TO COPI KHRISNA, AUTHOR OF VARIOUS RELIGIOUS PUBLICATIONS, IN SRINAGAR KASMIER. ANY INFORMATION WHICH THE POST CAN OBTAIN FROM THESE PERSONS REGARDING WALTER SANDERS PRESENT WELFARE/WHEREABOUTS WOULD BE MOST APPRECIATED.

3. NOTICE: PRIVACY ACT AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED IN CASES WHERE INFORMATION IS TO BE RELAYED BY DEPARTMENT OR POST TO INQUIRER. AUTHORIZATION SHOULD BE INCLUDED AS A SPECIFIC ITEM IN ANY REPORTS TO DEPARTMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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